

LAST MINUTE PHOTOS IN THE NEWS

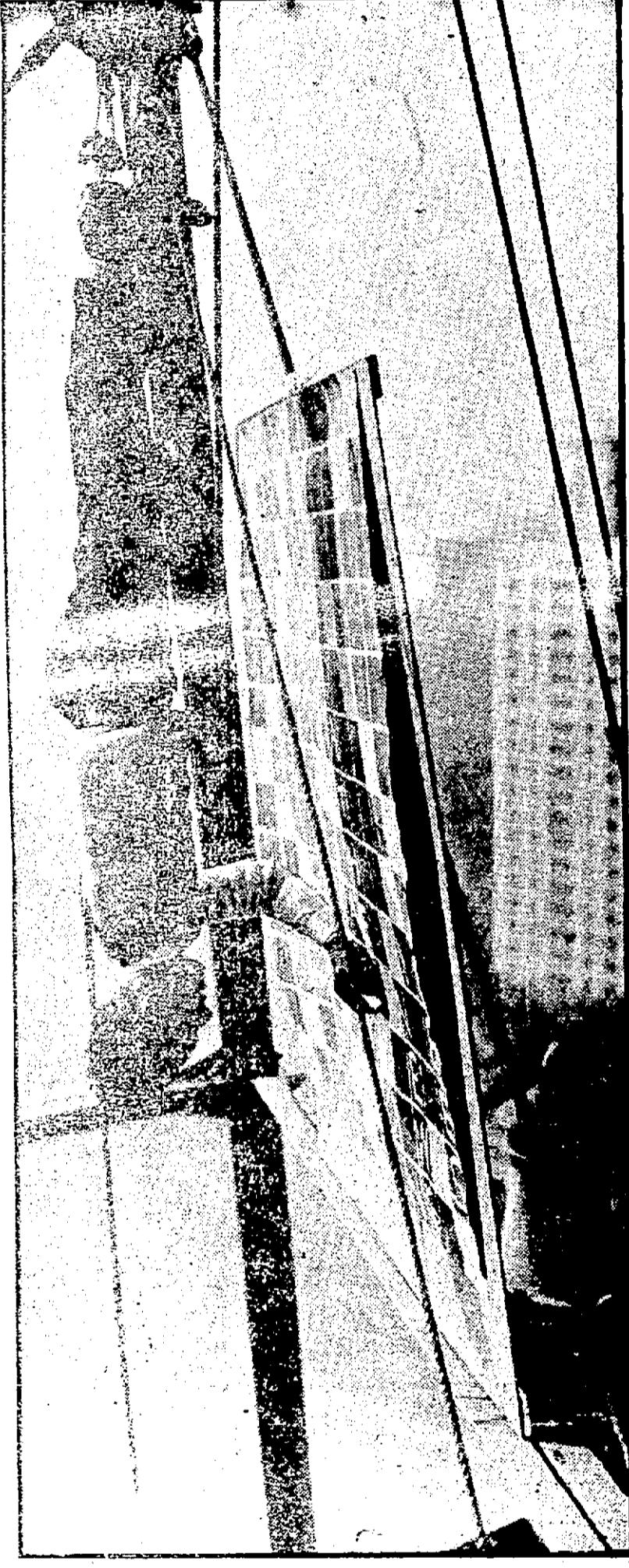
WHO'S WHO
WHAT'S WHAT

The Mail Goes On Despite Death of Pilot



(By Pacific & Atlantic)
For 1,200,000 miles intrepid aviators have carried mail through the night without mishap until Charles G. Bell was killed near Aurora, Ill., in effort to get mail to Omaha, Neb., despite blinding snow. Exclusive photo, received by telegraph, shows wreckage of plane. Another pilot finished trip.

What Cross-words Lead To



(By Pacific & Atlantic)
Suspended by his feet from the top of the Aeolian building, New York, high above the pavement, Harry Kaline, a gent who holds life lightly, thrilled thousands of onlookers by calmly solving a crossword puzzle while chill breezes swayed him to and fro.

BY P. F. MURRAY

Her Case Puzzles Doctors



(By Pacific & Atlantic)
John Williams Gisclard, a senior in the college of medicine at the University of Oxford, at Berkely, England, has survived the Great White Death, and is making rapid progress to convalescence for his third year at Oxford University, England, it is reported.

Many of the most prominent physicians of Burgos, Spain, are mystified by case of Amalia Baranda, who has not eaten voluntarily nor slept in four years. Occasionally she is fed mechanically.

Welcomes Winter



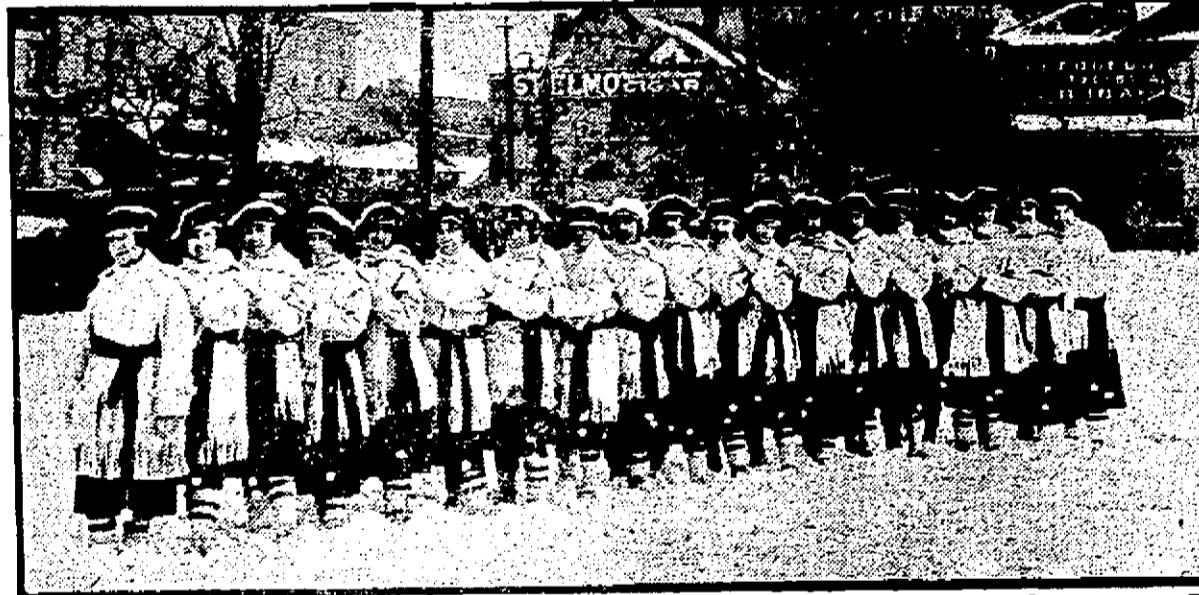
(By Pacific & Atlantic)
Polar bear in New York Zoological park is about the only inhabitant of this country who doesn't object to cold. Recent rise in temperature bored him.

Aren't They Happy?



(By Pacific & Atlantic)
Charlotte Greenwood, comedienne, and her new husband, Martin Brookes, composer, left Auburndale, N. Y., shortly after they were wed. Charlotte is in a revue in Boston, Mass., so it's a cinch that the newlyweds are New England bound, though they let no one in on secret.

Winter Sports in Full Swing in Canada



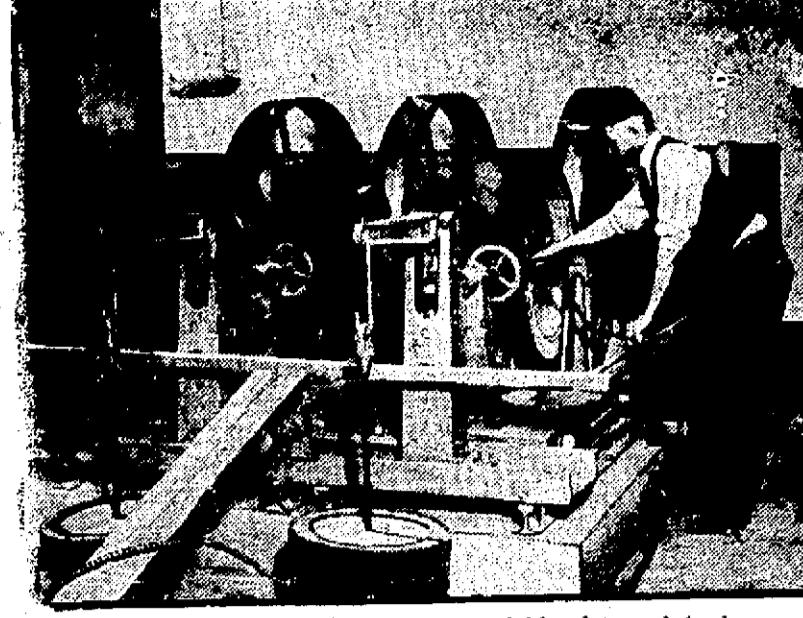
These girls, members of the Ladies' Toboggan Club of Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada, are some of the competitors in the "Queen of Winter" carnival held annually in Winnipeg.

Commissioner



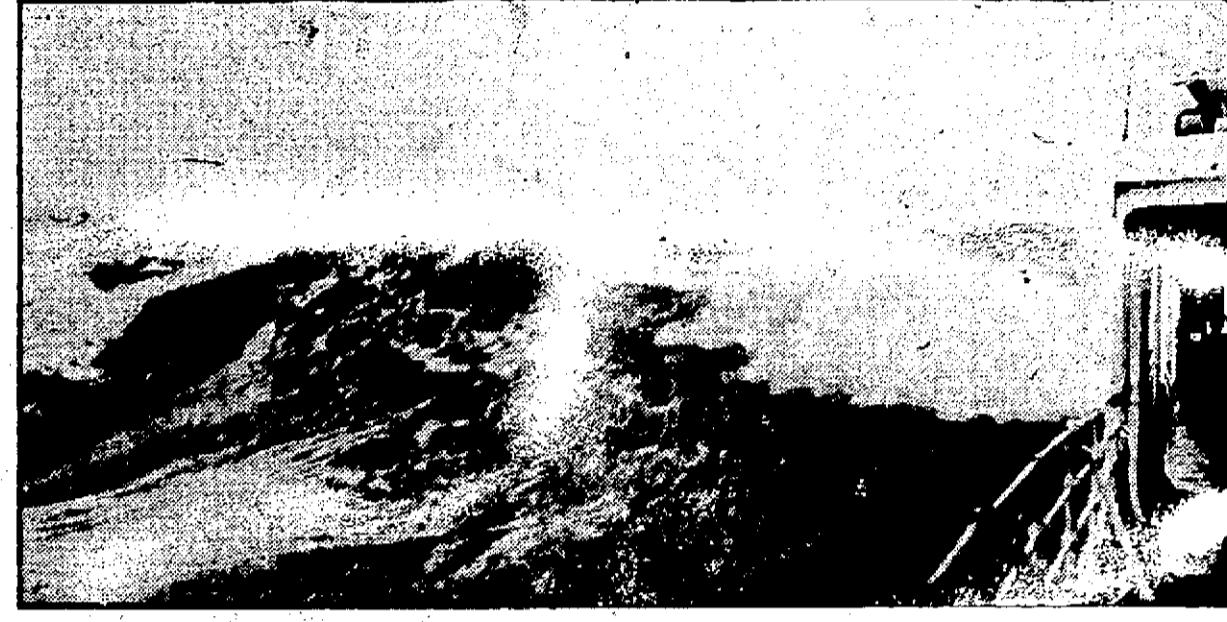
General Sir George McMunn (above) has been appointed British high commissioner for Palestine to succeed Sir Herbert Samuel, who has resigned. The new commissioner for the past four years has been quartermaster general in India.

Government Tire Test



Weak points in automobile tires are quickly detected in bureau of standards, Washington, D. C., where device makes it possible to predict service which may be expected from tires. Photo shows tires being so tested.

When Neptune Gets Unusually Rough



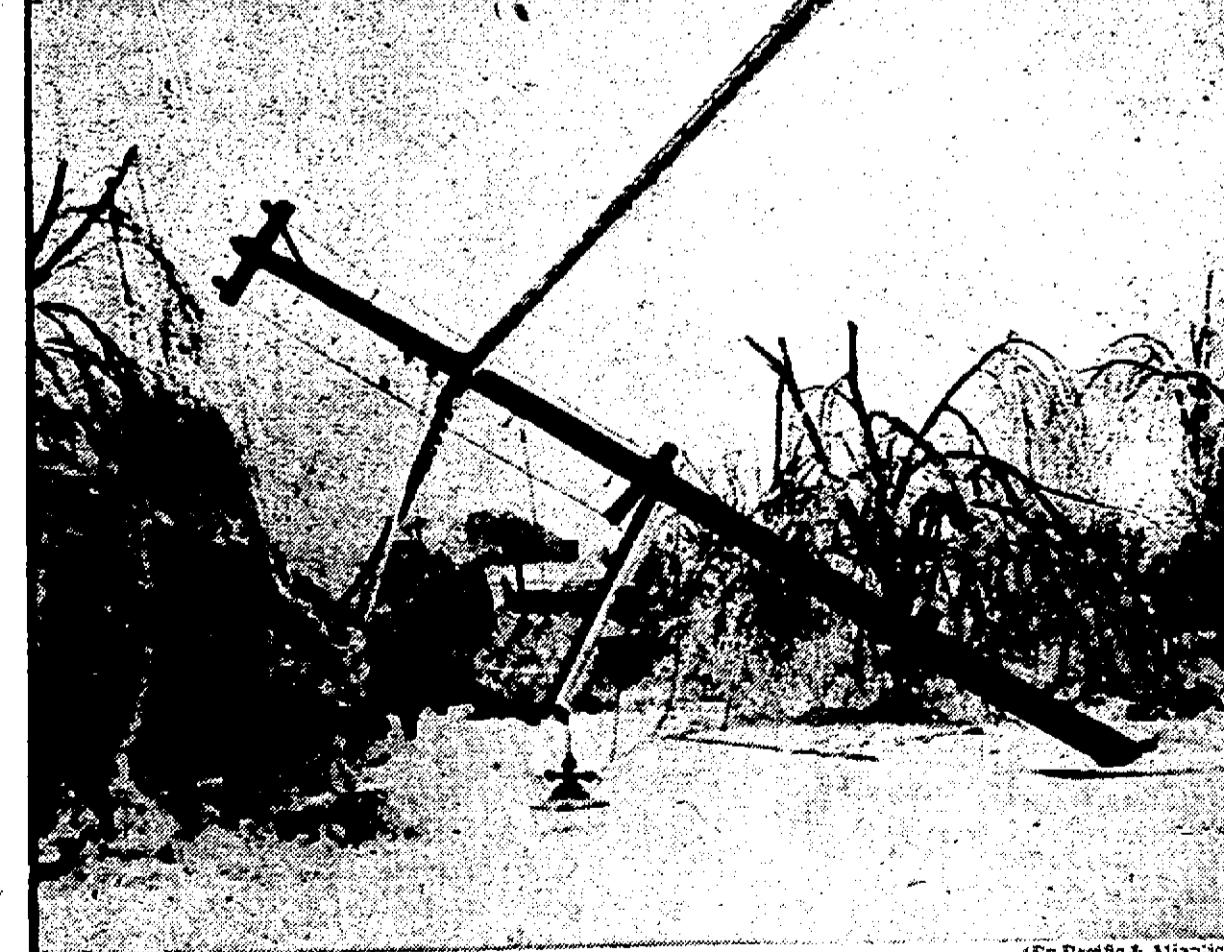
The waves rolled high as the steamer Republic plunged through the stormy North Atlantic to New York. Battered by the violent sea the Republic arrived 10 hours late. Photo was made in mid-ocean.

Are Rumors False?



(By Pacific & Atlantic)
Denying great killings in the stock market, Lieut. Osborne C. Wood (above, with wife), son of Gov. Gen. Wood, in Paris refused to talk of reported marital split.

Sleet and Cold Disrupt Wire Communication



(By Pacific & Atlantic)
The west is slowly recovering from a snowstorm which coupled with below zero weather, halted telegraph service and blocked railroads. Above is a scene near Bloomington, Ill., showing sleet-covered trees and fallen pole.

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Fifty Years of Baseball

This is the twenty-first article of the series which John B. Foster is writing to commemorate the fiftieth anniversary of the National League which will be celebrated the coming season.

NATIONAL LEAGUE'S GREATEST PLAYERS

EDWARD J. DELEHANTY

BY JOHN B. FOSTER
(Special Correspondent of The Bee)

The "only Del" was born in Cleveland and he picked up his baseball in Cleveland. He played on the river bed, which was the site where the great sand lots of Cleveland made "good" and there were many of them to make good. All of the Delephant family wore players and dreamt of getting away from the Delephant house in Cleveland one of the little companies was located and "Del" practiced with the men on the lot next to the engine house when he was a boy. Firemen always have a baseball trend.

Delephant might have played the infield if he had been a more accurate thrower at short distances. He tried his hand at first occasionally, but his real forte in baseball was in the outfield and it was there that he made his greatest success. He could catch out behind the bat, he was bothered by erratic throwing. He tried to get the ball away from him too fast and hurried himself out of accuracy.

As a batter Delephant was one of the best who has lived. There are friends of Delephant who are interested that he was the best and they had plenty of argument to help out in their contention. He could hit anything anywhere and he was as likely to strike out in a pinch as anything else, yet that was just where he was strong because the pitchers in trying to work him, would either

(In his next article Mr. Foster will discuss the great Hans Wagner)

SEA ROVERS TO SAIL IN DRAKE'S WAKE

Adventurers Leave First of Year On Five Year Voyage

(By The Associated Press)

William D. Shepard will be questioned by State's attorney at Chicago in connection with investigation of death of his foster son, William McEntee, "millionaire orphan" whose body has been exhumed for examination.

Nation has cold Christmas with snow in west, middle west and sections of east and with thermometer lower in middle west than any Christmas day in years.

University of Southern California defeats University of Missouri, 20 to 7, Los Angeles gridiron in hard fought game.

Christmas Eve flood near Roanoke, Va., caused a break of "Muck" dam at Saltville, results in death of nine persons, at least six are missing and 35 injured.

C. T. Collins, 76, chairman of board of directors of Standard Oil Company of Kentucky, dies at Louisville.

Simply made President Coolidge's Christmas day, which is spent quietly at the White House except for attendance at a church in the morning and long afternoon walk.

Rafael Sabatini is awarded \$10,000 prize by special jury for his novel "Scaramouche," which motion picture, credited with being the best of last year, is based.

POLITICAL BLOOD VENGEANCE SATISFIED

(By The Associated Press)

MILAN, Italy, Dec. 24.—A story of political blood vengeance is an echo of the Balkan troubles, was recounted today following the fatal shooting here last night of Peter Schanckoff, a Macedonian journalist, by Dimitri Stefanoff, said to be the head of the Macedonian Federalist movement.

Stefanoff, who freely admitted to the police today the killing of Schanckoff, declared that he had followed the journalist since last September. He said he killed him because he was a Bolshevik and a traitor to his country. Schanckoff, he said, had betrayed pledges given to put himself at the head of the dissident Macedonians, and during the struggles of September, 300 members of the Macedonian revolutionary movement were killed.

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SCOTT EXPLAINS ENDURANCE RECORD

BY BILLY EVANS

Everett Scott, frail shortstop of the New York Yankees, has played 1291 consecutive games. He started his "iron man" stint June 20, 1916, and is still at it.

No position on the ball field is more dangerous to play than that of shortstop. This, coupled with the fact that Scott is far from husky, makes his endurance record all the more remarkable.

Here are ten reasons why Everett Scott has been able to hang up a record for endurance, that will probably stand, even after Babe Ruth's 50 homers in one season has passed out of the picture.

1. Takes great care of his physical condition. Follows training rules more like a college player than a professional athlete.

2. Never hums himself in the spring. Conditions himself, slowly regardless of how well his rivals for the position are showing.

3. Makes careful study of his batteries, figures no two alike, enabling him to make plays easily that otherwise might call for an foothard effort.

4. Never forces his arm except in a pinch. Times his runners so that he throws the fast and slow ones out by the same margin.

5. Has made a careful study of touching runners. This is the most dangerous of all plays on the ball field and no player is called upon to make it more often than the shortstop. Watches the runner closely and, being familiar with his mannerisms, positions himself accordingly in making the catch, also taking into consideration the direction of the throw.

6. Gets the signal for every pitch and then tries to figure what he will do in advance. Says this is most important and saves many a "bonehead play."

7. Doesn't believe in fusing with the umpires unless he has a grievance. Then expresses his objections in a way that results in the umpire giving him much consideration rather than pointing to the exit sign.



EVERETT SCOTT

8. Guards constantly against believing that everything is going to bring him success. Says a player be a little and says it usually turns must accept the good and tough out that way.

9. Insists on being an optimist to play the game fair.

The NUT Cracker

By JOE WILLIAMS

A fighter who gives you a run for your money is a great guy. . . . A fighter who gives you a foot race is an awful parson.

Advice to amorous young men about town: Keep that school girl's complexion off your coat.

Instead of ruling a horse off for traveling under wraps in this kind of weather, officials ought to give it credit for having brains.

The new bantamweight champion is only 21 years old. . . . Happily, he has plenty of time to live down his shame.

Hughie Jennings has picked an All-American baseball team. We knew he'd go sappy sooner or later, eating all that grass.

McGraw says foreigners will never understand baseball. . . . Will the gentleman kindly explain how those New York crowds ever got the hang of it then?

The moving spirit of the voyage, John Henderson, is an Englishman known in his country as an explorer. He has mapped much of Borneo and the islands south of India and China and has made many trips to little known parts of the world. He will be on board the Marian as chronicler.

Henderson wants to make a few stops at the cities which have sprung up along the coast which Drake sailed and he hopes to gather together some data of Drake's trip missing from the captain's logbook.

"Sails will serve us better than steam," he said. "Time is no immaterial object. Our equipment will be modern enough to include a kinematograph apparatus and cameras. We shall drop down the Bideford River on New Year's Eve, as British sailors sailed before, and we may see you all again in five years time."

SLEEPING SICKNESS ALARMS PHYSICIANS

LONDON, Dec. 9.—(By Mail)—Medical officers of Great Britain are becoming somewhat uneasy at the steady increase in the number of cases of sleeping sickness recorded.

Official statistics show that from January 1 to November 15 of this year more cases of the disease were reported in England and Wales than in the first year of 1919-1923, the figure for 1919-23 being 4,350 and for this year 4,747.

In the most recent weeks there have been 37 notifications of the disease, in the corresponding eight weeks of last year the number was only 28. According to the ministry of health, the cause of this increase has not yet been definitely determined, and although several remedies have been tried with some measure of success, there is yet no specific cure for the disease itself.

PECAN TREE CAMPAIGN

RALEIGH, Dec. 24.—H. M. Curran, director of the forestry department of the Extension Division of the State College of Agriculture, states that he is meeting with success in his pecan campaign and that orders for good trees are coming in every day. He reports that farmers are buying in both large and small lots for the orchard and the yard.

Young Girl Has Wild Ride, Neck and Neck with Death, and Wins

(By The Associated Press)
INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 26.—Thrown onto the pilot of the Knickerbocker Special, fast Els Four passenger train, after the train had crashed into an automobile in which she was riding and injured three members of her family at a crossing here, Mrs. Kenneth Clark, 18 years old, of this city, had a wild twelve-mile ride last night until she fell from the train into a ditch near Oklandon, Ind. Although unconscious when found a short time later by a farmer she was not seriously injured, suffering only from exposure from the sub-zero weather and slight bruises. She was brought to a local hospital.

Kenneth Clark, 22, her husband, Clyde Clark, her brother-in-law, and Mrs. Clyde Clark were injured when the train struck the rear of the automobile. Mrs. Clyde Clark is a ser-

ious condition at a hospital here. A baby twenty months old was buried unburnt from the automobile.

Police investigating the accident conducted a search for several miles along the track leading out of this city after a man reported to the railroad officers that he had seen a screaming woman being carried on the pilot of the train several blocks from the scene of the accident.

The members of the train crew who had been unaware of the accident were stopped at Anderson and a search of the front part of the engine made there but the woman had fallen from the train before reaching that point. Mrs. Clark told the ambulance driver on her way back to Indianapolis that she was able to hold on tightly to the speeding engine after the crash until she became too weak and had to let go.

While northern climes bundle up and shiver, the girls dance and frolic in their bathing suits, under the sunny skies of Florida. At Miami, Fla., where this picture was taken, they have formed a Club of States, a bathing beauty club, with official costumes and all.

Several Title Contenders Meet In Ring Tonight

(By The Associated Press)

SPORT BRIEFS

(By The Associated Press)

Steve O'Neill, veteran catcher who has become assistant to Wally Schang of the Yankees after service with Cleveland and Boston, was at the height of his career in 1920 when Cleveland conquered Brooklyn in the world series. In a discussion of catchers recently a former major league manager who handled an eastern team during the 1920 season, declared that O'Neill was what is known in inside baseball as a "telegrapher." "Anybody could tell what was going to happen in a game by watching O'Neill's right foot," said this man. Nevertheless, Cleveland won the American League pennant and the world title and O'Neill caught the bulk of the contests.

GERMANS DEFEAT FRENCH IN BORDER FOOTBALL

PARIS, Dec. 25.—For the first time since the war a French football team has visited the mainland to meet a German club. The athletic club of the Fourteenth ward, Paris, today played the German club of Mayence at the latter city and was defeated 6 to 2. The game was played before 5,000 persons. Prior to the start of the game, committees representing both teams met in the center of the field and exchanged bouquets of flowers.

WRESTLING BOUT TONIGHT

Kid Ellis and Jack Evans, the latter of Philadelphia are scheduled to wrestle tonight at the Armory hall at 8 o'clock. Ellis is already well-known here and has become quite a favorite. Little is known of Evans except that he is a big fellow and is recommended as a good grappler. The match will doubtless attract a good crowd of sport enthusiasts. The usual admission prices are charged.

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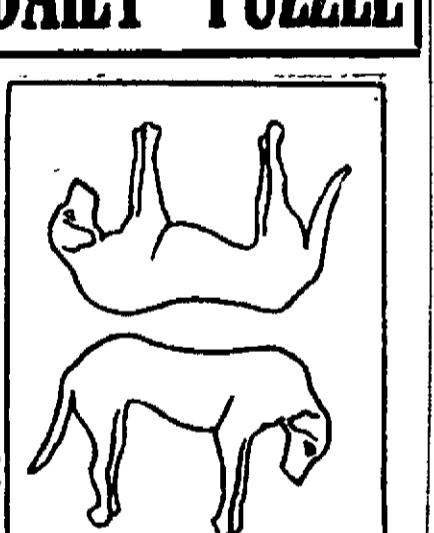
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DAILY PUZZLE



Here are two dead dogs, lying back to back.

By altering four of the lines of their bodies, the two hounds may be restored to life!

Can you make the necessary alterations?

Yesterday's answer:

SIX

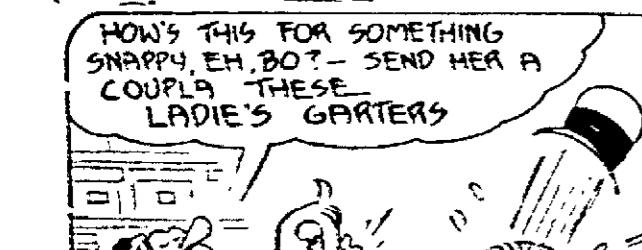
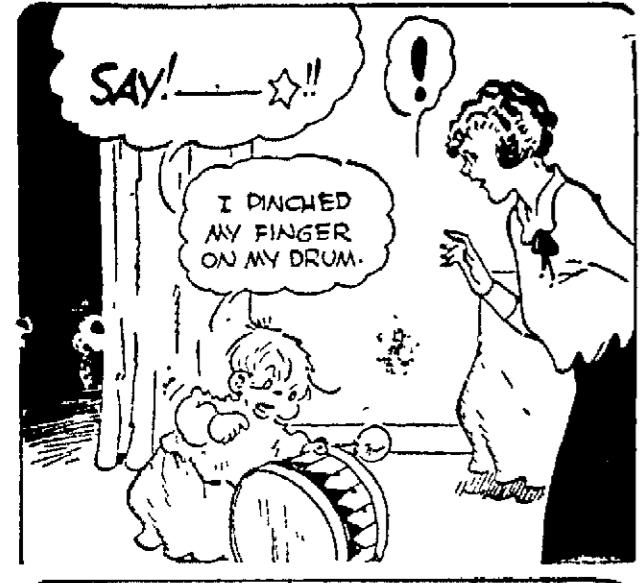
The three-letter word is "six." Take away one letter (S) and nine (IX, Roman number 9) remains; take away another (I) and you have ten (X). Replace the two you took away, an d you have SIX—six.

ANSWER

The Best Feature Section Every Saturday in The Bee

Barney Makes Sure of His "Kick-Off"

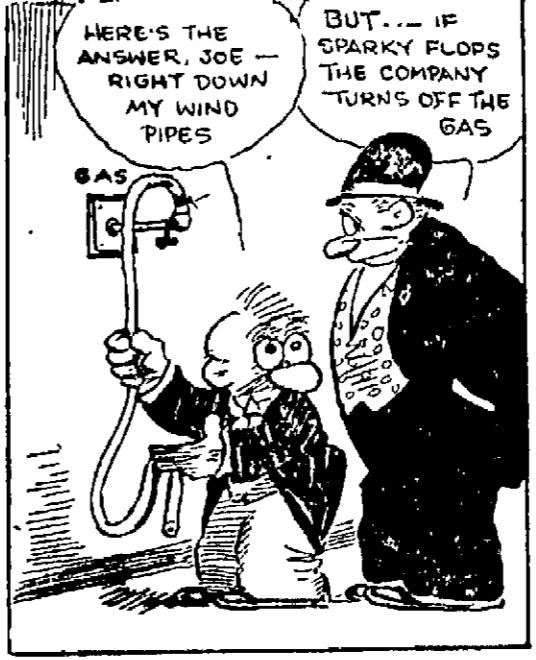
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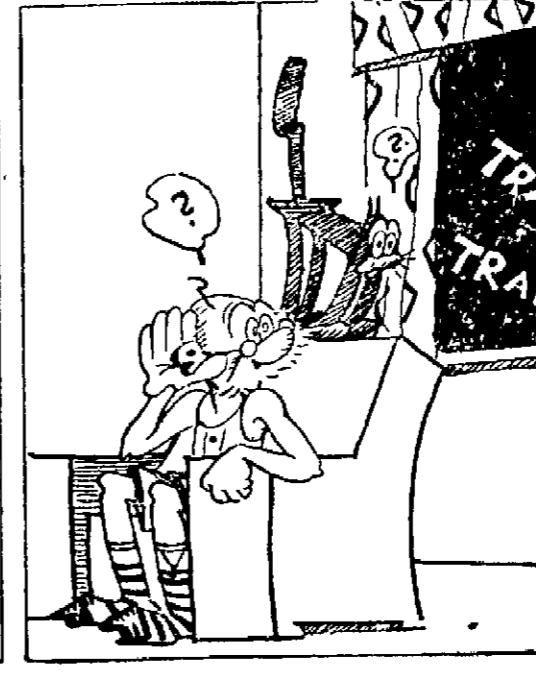
BARNEY GOOGLE AND SPARK PLUG



AND IF SPARK PLUG LOSES--
YOU'LL BE IN THE DEEP--
\$653.74--THAT'S A LOT
OF MONEY, BARNEY



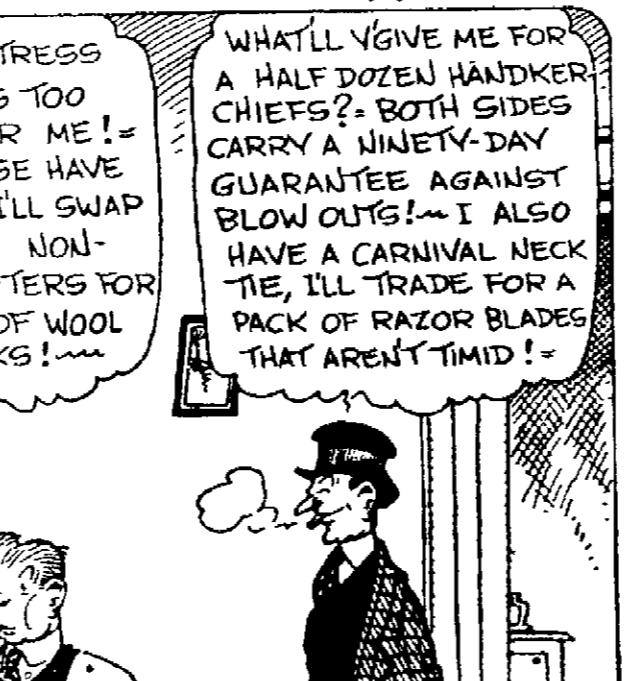
POLLY AND HER PALS



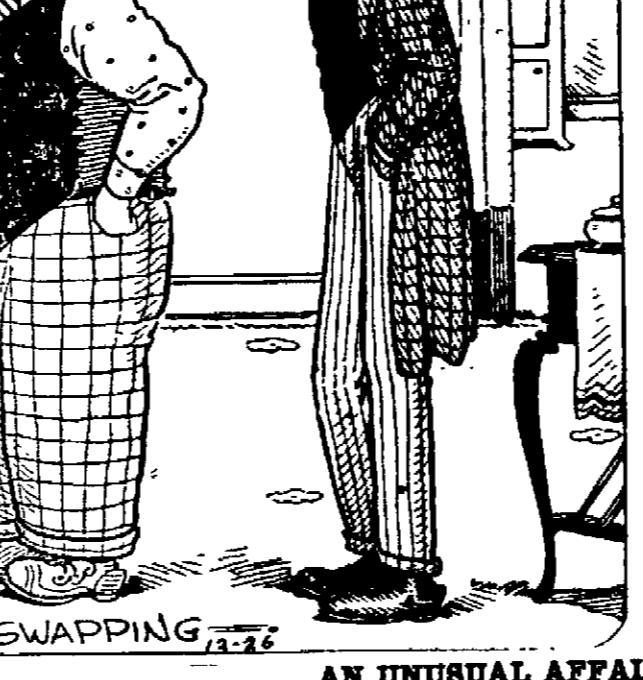
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WHAT ELSE HAVE Y' GOT?--I'LL SWAP A SET OF NON-SKID GARTERS FOR A PAIR OF WOOL SOCKS!



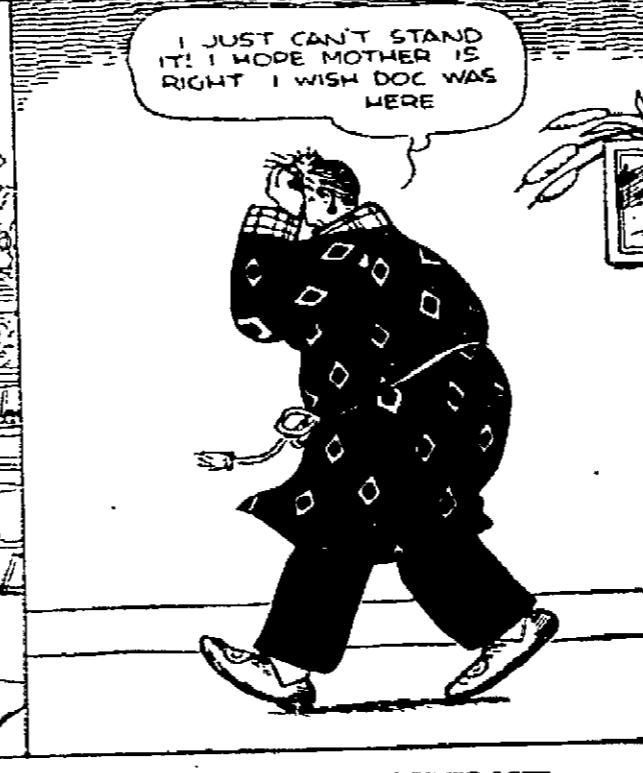
GENE AHERN.



GASOLINE ALLEY



I JUST CAN'T STAND IT! I HOPE MOTHER IS RIGHT! I WISH DOC WAS HERE



By Rube Goldberg

OUR COUNTRY'S NAME IS NOW CROSSWORDPUZZLELAND



THOSE ARE NOT STATUES--THEY'RE PEOPLE WORKING ON CROSS-WORD PUZZLE BOOKS THEY GOT FOR CHRISTMAS



By Rube Goldberg

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CHRISTMAS BRAWL RESULTS IN DEATH

RICHMOND, Va., Dec. 25.—One negro is dead and two others are seriously injured as the result of a Christmas brawl here, tonight. Chas. Hargrove also a negro, at whose home the first fight took place, is under arrest charged with murder. He says that he fired in self defense.

Noise of the encounter attracted a large number of persons, both negroes and whites, to the scene of the fray where confusion reigned until police officers arrived and took charge.

QUEEN OF "PROM"



Rivalry among University of Wisconsin men students, who are accused by their dean of men of being the "champion fencers and cake-eaters" of America, is expected to be keen for the honor of taking this girl to the Junior "Prom." She is Miss Fernandine Chesley of Armour, S. D., and she has been chosen queen of the "Prom."

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NOTICE

All members of Brosville Council No. 51, Jr. O. U. A. M., and Sons and Daughters of Liberty are requested to be present at their hall Saturday, December 27th, at 2 o'clock and each member can bring one guest with them.

By order of Councilor.

G. W. WALTERS, R. S. Wenona, Va.

MASONIC NOTICE

Brethren: Attend a Saints John State Communication at Ramon Lodge No. 70 A. F. & A. M. in Capitola Hall, (tonight) Friday evening at 7:30. Installation of Officer for 1925, will take place at this meeting, every member of the Lodge is urged to be present and visit the Brethren welcome.

By order of W. M.

J. T. VERNON, Secty.

OST - FOUND - STOLEN

Lost—Lewellyn Seter, white with black spots. Strayed from 341 Church St. Finder notify H. E. Jones Phone 1306-W. Reward. 25rb

Strayed: From My home, 121 W. Main, 11-Lb. Spotted Turkey. Finder return to L. C. Brown, same address and receive reward. br

ORDER PUBLICATION

Issued by order of the Clerk of the Corporation Court of Danville, entered on the 18th day of December. 1924.

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of Danville on the 18th day of December, 1924. Elizabeth Whitmire . . . Plaintiff against Newman Whitmire . . . Defendant

IN CHANCERY

The object of this suit is to obtain from the said Court a decree divorcing the plaintiff, Elizabeth Whitmire, a vinculo matrimonii, from the said defendant, Newman Whitmire, on the grounds of desertion for more than three years.

And an affidavit having been made and duly filed that the said defendant, Newman Whitmire, is a non-resident of the State of Virginia, it is therefore ordered that he do appear here within ten days after due publication of this order once a week for four successive weeks in The Bee, a newspaper published in the city of Danville, Virginia, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

A Copy—Teste:

OTIS BRADLEY, Clerk.

Harry Berman, F. C. 19b-fri4

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Lost or Strayed: White female setter, answers to name "Fannie." Finder call phone 1193. Jack Pritchett. rb

Stolen—From Semora, N. C., Tuesday night, Ford touring car, motor no. 9,866,415, with N. C. license tag, Goodrich fabric and 99 cord tires on rear, Todd fabrics on front, rear curtain glass broken. Reward. W. G. Rogers, Semora, N. C. 25rb21

TRAGEDY RECALLS

COLLINVWOOD FIRE

(By The Associated Press.)

CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 25.—The hospital tragedy, recalls the Collinwood school fire, March 1908. In which 172 pupils between six and 14 years old, and two teachers lost their lives in 30 minutes.

The Collinwood fire, caused by overheated pipes igniting timbers in the three story brick building, started soon after the day's studies began. The pipes, it was claimed, were too close to the wood, making it tinder dry.

The children, after starting an orderly exit when alarm was sounded, became panicky at sight of the flames and in the ensuing rush for an exit, one child stumbled at the foot of a narrow stair. Soon a mass of children six feet high were piled at the door which opened inward. Rescuers, unable to break down the door, broke its glass, but so tightly were the victims wedged that none could be pulled out.

JUNIOR ORDER HOME PLANS PROGRESSING

HIGH POINT, N. C., Dec. 25.—Architects of this city are working on the final plans for five of the buildings to be erected at Lexington as the National Junior Order of the Loyal Order of the American Legion's Home. It has been announced here. The National Council of the Junior O. U. A. M. and the North Carolina State Department of that fraternity are co-operating in the erection of the home.

The first payment by the North Carolina department to the funds for the home was made some weeks ago. It was said, and other funds are expected from this state soon.

THE

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LEGAL NOTICES

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF VALUABLE CITY PROPERTY

Pursuant to the terms of a certain deed of trust, executed by Nannie Little and Joe Little, dated the 13th day of September, 1923, and recorded in the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Danville, Virginia, in Deed Book 121 at page 286, default having been made in the payment of the debt secured in said deed of trust, and having been requested so to do by the beneficiaries in said deed of trust, I shall on December 30, 1924, at 10:30 A. M. o'clock on the premises offered for sale at public auction the following described real property:

All of that certain lot or parcel of land, together with all improvements thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, lying and being in the City of Danville, Virginia, and bounded and described as follows:

Fronting 25 feet on the south side of Franklin street, and running back between parallel lines a distance of 21 feet to the Gerst property, being bounded on the east by the lot of Ward Becker, and on the south by the Gerst property and on the west by the Skipwith property, being the same property conveyed to the said Nannie Little, at that time Nannie Wise, by George B. Gilbert and Fannie E. Gilbert, his wife, in their deed of May 10th, 1921, recorded in the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of Danville in Deed Book 112 at page 61.

Term of Sale: Cash

A. M. AIKEN, Trustee.

19-23-26-29.

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And an affidavit having been made and duly filed that the said defendant, Newman Whitmire, is a non-resident of the State of Virginia, it is therefore ordered that he do appear here within ten days after due publication of this order once a week for four successive weeks in The Bee, a newspaper published in the city of Danville, Virginia, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

A Copy—Teste:

OTIS BRADLEY, Clerk.

Harry Berman, F. C. 19b-fri4

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ORGAN: 6:30 orchestra; 8: Wide-Awake club; 8:30 musical geography; 9 choir. WEK—Cleveland (238) 7 concert. WFAA—Dallas News (476) 8:30 classical orchestra. WOC—Davenport (484) 7:20 educational lecture; 8 musical.

WHO—Des Moines (526) 7:30 banjo; mandolin, guitar; vocal. WVV—Detroit News (513) 9 News; orchestra; vocal, poet.

WEAP—Ft. Worth Star Telegram (476) 7:30 program; 8:30 concert.

KNN—Hollywood (337) 8 music; 10 features, 12 orchestra.

WOS—Jefferson City (440) 8 address; 8:15 radio conversation; 8:30 fiddlin'.

WDAF—Kansas City Star (411) 6-7 School of the Air, 8:30 popular program; 11:45-1 Nighthawk frolic.

KFI—Los Angeles (460) 8:45 organ; 12 girls' vocal recital; 11 soprano.

WEAS—Louisville Times (400) 7:30 concert.

WNIC—Memphis Commercial Appeal (506) 8 bedtime; 8:30 concert; 11 midnight frolic.

WCCO—Minneapolis-St. Paul (417) 6 sports, 7:30 lecture; 8 announced.

WOR—Newark (405) 6:15 sports; WEAF—New York (452) 6:30 sports; 7:30 music; 8:30 orchestra.

WEIN—New York (360) 6 orchestra; 8:30 music; 9:30 revue.

WJY—New York (405) 6:30 orchestra; 7:15 tenor; 7:30 talk; 8:30 orchestra.

WJZ—New York (455) 6 Savarin ensemble; 7:10 pianist; 7:30 ballet music; 8:30 talk; 9:30 orchestra.

KG-D—Oakland (312) 6 orchestra; 7:30 girls' half hour.

WOAW—Omaha (526) 6 Uncle Ross; 6:20 musical; 7:15 sports; 9:30 Merry Musical Maids; 9:30 orchestra.

WIDAR—Philadelphia (395) 6:30 orchestra; 7:10 play; 8:recital; 9:15 orchestra.

WCO—Philadelphia (509) 6:30 orchestra; 7:25 concert; 8:30 orchestra; 9:03 recital; 9:30 orchestra.

KFOA—Portland Oregonian (192) 7 Aunt Nell; 9 Hoot Owls.

KPO—San Francisco (428) 7:30 orchestra.

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Everyman's Investments

By George T. Hughes

AMATEUR VS. EXPERT OPINIONS

Some men unknowingly take big chances in trying to eliminate risk. That is rather a strange statement, yet it is certainly true, when the average man substitutes his own judgment for that of an expert in any profession. That is especially applicable to the investment field.

Only a few days ago a man in a small city wrote to a newspaper in a large industrial center, asking for suggestions in investing \$6,000 for a crippled woman. The paper explained the difference in the various classes of securities, and pointed out the yield which could be expected on fairly safe bonds. It explained how much the investor paid for marketability, and for tax exemption, etc. A few representative bonds were suggested from which the selection might be made.

The inquirer wrote in reply, that he was too late to purchase the bonds which were in the list. They were all gone. Of course, the paper replied that since the bonds were on the market, an investment banker or his own bank could buy them for him. A little later the man again wrote the newspaper, vigorously criticizing his bank. It seems he had dug up a book which told him just what a bond should be and how it should look. He did not like the looks of the bonds which were sent to him through his bank. He objected to the looks of the signatures of the officers, and sent the bonds back. Evidently his book said that all signatures on a bond should be distinctly legible. The bank and the bank's attorney explained to him that the bonds were executed properly, but he knew better.

Then the man asked the newspaper to purchase the bonds for him. He disregarded the advice of his own banker whom he had known for years, and who undoubtedly expected to live next door to him for many more years. The strangest part was that the question was one of legality, not of personal opinion. If a bank cannot determine the legality of a certain bond, who can? Certainly he could not expect to be able to give an expert opinion himself.

(Mr. Hughes' next article will appear in The Bee next Saturday.)

STOCK REPORT

(Thomson & McKinnon)

Sales to Noon.

Atchison 118 1/2
Anaconda Copper 45 5/8
Allied Chemical & Dye 34 3/8
Ails Chalmers 73 1/2
Amer. Smelting & Refining 100
American Locomot. 101 1/2
American Tel. & Tel. 123 3/4
American Can 156
American Sugar 52 1/2
Am. Tob. com. 37 1/2
Am. Tob. "B" 86 1/2
Amer. H. & L. pfd. 65 1/2
Baldwin Locomotive 182
Bethlehem Steel "B" 49 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio 80 1/2
Coca Cola 80
Chandler Motors 125
Chesapeake & Ohio 94 1/2
Coden & Co. 23 1/2
Corn Products 40 1/2
Continental Can 68 1/2
Crucible Steel 75 1/2
Cerro de Pasco 53 1/2
Chile Copper 35 1/2
Cuba Cane Sugar, com. 13 1/2
Cuba pfd. 60 1/2
Chicago, R. I. & Pac. 41 1/2
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul do pfd. 16 1/2
Chicago & N. W. 25 1/2
Consolidated Textile 72
Erie, first pfd. 4
Famous Players-Lasky 93
General Motors 64 1/2
Great Northern, pfd. 73 1/2
Gulf States Steel 86 1/2
Houston Oil 75 1/2
Hudson Motors 35 1/2
Int. Nat. Marine, pfd. 44
Inspiration Copper 32 1/2
International Paper 54
Intrinsic Oil 18
International Nickel 26
Kempton Copper 58 1/2
Kelly-Springfield Tire 17 1/2
Lima Locomotive 70 1/2
Missouri Pacific, com. 31 1/2
do pfd. 73 1/2
Middle States Oil 13 1/2
Mont. Ward & Co. 46
Miami Copper 23
Marland Oil 37
Maxwell Motor "A" 83
Norfolk & Western 131
Northern Pacific 71
New York Central 119 1/2
N. Y. N. H. & Hartford 31 1/2
Pennsylvania 48 1/2
Pacific Oil 52 1/2
Pan-American Petro 63 1/2
Phill. Petro. 36 1/2
Producers & Min. "Card" Steel 27 1/2
Reading 75
P. & P. Consolidated 16 1/2
Rep. Steel 21 1/2
Rep. Iron & Steel 81
Sinclair Oil & Refining 16 1/2
Southern Pacific 102 1/2
Stockbaker Corporation 46
S. O. of N. J. 29
Sears Roebuck 148
Southern Railway, com. 78 1/2
do pfd. 84
Sloss-Shel. Steel & Iron 32 1/2
Simms Petroleum 18 1/2
Tobacco Products 24 1/2
Union Pacific 149 1/2
U. S. Ind. Alcohol 85
United States Rubber 41 1/2
United States Steel 119 1/2
Vancouver Corp. 31
Virginia Carb. Chem. 2 1/2
Westinghouse Electric 69
Wabash, pfd. "A" 58
Union Carbide 66 1/2
Sales to noon, 600,000.
ex. Div.

MORNING STOCK LETTER

(Courtesy Thomson and McKinnon.)

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—New York Reserve Bank rate unchanged at 3 per cent.

American Brass advanced brass products quarter cent a pound and copper products 3 cents.

Sheet steel output in Mahoning Valley to establish new records next week with most of the 127 sheet and bobbing mills active.

New York department stores sales December 1st to December 20th were 3 1/2 per cent. over 1923.

New York Stock Exchange committee no commissions may be given salesmen of listed stocks by members except on stocks of original issue.

North American Company to spend \$41,500,000 in 1924 for construction and development, including \$20,000,000 in northern Ohio.

Department of Agriculture estimates world wheat crop at 3,298,673,000 bushels against 3,742,541,000 in 1923, reflecting decreases of 60,000,000 in Argentina and 200,000,000 in Canada.

Average price twenty industrials 116.74, up .96; twenty rails 82.25, up .37; forty bonds 99.63, up .01.

ALLEGED EMBEZZLER UNDER POLICE GUARD

(By The Associated Press.)

BOSTON, Dec. 24.—Caleb S. Jackson, who twice has attempted suicide and who was vice president and treasurer of the Eastern Massachusetts Railway company, was charged with larceny of \$48,000 from the Eastern Mutual Insurance company in a warrant issued by the Municipal court today. Recovering from his wounds at the city hospital, Jackson was under a police guard placed after his second attempt to take his life, and it was decided to withhold service of the warrant until he is discharged.

Meanwhile, Attorney General Jay R. Benton instigated an inquiry into Jackson's conduct of his dual office as treasurer of the insurance company, which is a subsidiary handling the company's workers' compensation business.

It was indicated that he expects to obtain much of his information from the report of examiners of the State Insurance department, whose discoveries ten days ago brought about Jackson's resignation.

These discoveries had to do with Jackson's investment of \$48,000 of the insurance company's funds in Arkansas oil ventures. He has said that he spent \$16,000 of his own money on the promotion and that while it had not developed as well as he had expected, there still was hope of reclaiming some.

Dispatches from Edenton, Ark., today tell of Jackson's association there with W. G. Parker of Shreveport, in a refinery and pipe line proposition said they were involved in litigation, but that Banks also had hopes for the properties.

ERASTUS BUNTING KILLED IN ACCIDENT

(By The Associated Press.)

LEXINGTON, N. C., Dec. 25.—

Erastus Bunting, 28, of this city, was killed about two o'clock this afternoon when a coupe he was driving turned over on the central highway, four miles south of Lexington. Bunting is said to have lost control of his car when it was sideswiped by a large truck.

He is survived by a wife and two children.

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NORTH WOODS TRAPPER IS ARRESTED FOR MURDER OF WOMAN IN LONELY CABIN

Admits Delivering Mail and talking to Girl, Who Was Bride of Week, On Honeymoon in Woods With Husband, and Later

(By Universal Service.)

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Dec. 26.—Tony Reamer, North woods trapper, arrested at Stewart, Minn., Saturday night in connection with the murder several weeks ago of Mrs. Elean Wheeler in a lonely lake of the Woods cabin, was held in the Minneapolis City Jail today for investigation.

After an hour's questioning by Chief Frank W. Brunskill, Reamer showed signs of severe mental stress police said.

New facts brought out by chief Brunskill's questioning were:

Reamer admitted, according to the chief, that he delivered the mail at the Wheeler cabin the day Mrs. Wheeler was killed, that he stepped inside the cabin and talked with her, and that he again returned to the cabin later that afternoon. Previously, according to E. G. Middleton, Luke of the Woods county attorney at Baudette, Reamer had denied ever having seen Mrs. Wheeler in the north country and had said that he did not deliver any mail to the Wheeler cabin on the day of the murder.

Reamer, according to police, is unable to account for an hour and a half of the afternoon of the murder from about 1 o'clock, when he left the Wheeler cabin after delivering the mail until 4 o'clock when he says he returned.

Reamer admits, according to Chief Brunskill, that he worked in the Kansas harvest fields last summer, near the large farm owned by Mrs. Wheeler, but denies that he knew Mrs. Wheeler down there.

Reamer's reply to the chief, Brunskill asked him.

"Yes," is the reply Reamer is said to have made. "She came to the door and took the mail."

Later, Brunskill said he brought out the fact that Reamer entered the cabin.

"I stepped inside to the door and talked to her a moment," he said.

It was about one o'clock. From the Wheeler cabin, according to the chief, Reamer said he went to the cabin of Addison Reiser, about a mile from the Wheeler cabin, then back to Judge Bargo's home, and then returned, about four o'clock to the Wheeler cabin.

"Why did you go back there?" Chief Brunskill asked.

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